

2006 METISSE LE CHATELET VINEYARD SAINT-FMILLON GRAND CRU

Barrel fermentations are instrumental to the integration and softness of the fruit resulting in a bouquet of crushed minerals, new saddle leather and bright cherry fruit.

This medium bodied, earthy St. Emilion boasts a round and supple texture with a nice spicy finish.

A charming wine that demonstrates good purity.

92% MERLOT AND 8% CABERNET FRANC 100% BARREL FERMENTED

Production: 100 cases
Bottling: May 2008
Ageing: 19 months in 75% new French oak
Release: Bastille Day 2009

This is the inaugural vintage of our first ever-produced French wine that brings us back to Philippe's roots in France. The vineyard is located on a beautiful site next to Beausejour Becot. The soils of limestone and clay allow us to create a unique blend that will surely satisfy the most discerning of French palates.

- Cherie & Philippe Melka, proprietors